



Standing Committee Meeting Minutes

Finance and Law Committee

Mr. Peduto, Chair

Thursday, February 11, 2010

1:00 PM

Council Chambers

ROLL CALL

Present: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

NEW PAPERS

Bill No. [2010-0074](#) Resolution Authorizing the transfer of Six Hundred Thousand (\$600,000) Dollars from the supplies account (fuel) in Non-Departmental City-wide to the General Fund Grants account within Non-Departmental Miscellaneous for the payment of a grant to the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh to prevent the closure of neighborhood libraries.

SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS AND BRUCE A. KRAUS

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No. [2010-0078](#) Resolution providing for the issuance of a \$5,880.00 warrant in favor of David Michelmore, of 4425 Schenley Farms Terrace, Pittsburgh, PA 15213, in settlement of a claim for sidewalk damage due to City tree roots on September 14, 2009.

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No. [2010-0079](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor to form a Land Recycling Task Force which shall assist in the development of a plan for how the City can better recycle tax delinquent and abandoned properties and turn them back into revenue-generating land that provides for future use and the increased viability of our neighborhoods

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2010-0110](#)

Resolution further amending Resolution No. 403, as amended, entitled, "Providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or use of existing Agreements and/or a Contract or Contracts, or use of existing Contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for various projects in connection with the Neighborhood Needs Program in Council District 6; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by adding \$24,832.75 to District 6 Neighborhood Initiatives and by reducing "Police Chaplain Program" by \$3,300, "Central Northside Neighborhood Council" by \$10,000 and the "Central Outreach Resource and Referral Center" by \$11,532.75 in District 6. Total cost of all projects not to exceed \$1,000,000.

SPONSOR(S): R. DANIEL LAVELLE

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2010-0112](#)

Resolution Further amending Resolution No. 121 of 2003, effective March 14, 2003 entitled, "Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or use of existing Agreements and/or a Contract or Contracts, or use of existing Contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for various projects in connection with City Council's 2003 Community Needs Program; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by adding \$46,933.57 to District 6 Projects and by reducing Wesley AME Charities by \$14,466 and Central Outreach Resource and Referral Center by \$32,467.57 in District 6 Neighborhood Needs.

SPONSOR(S): R. DANIEL LAVELLE

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2010-0114](#)

Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 257, effective April 26, 2000, as amended, entitled "Providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or use of existing Agreements and/or a Contract or Contracts, or use of existing Contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for various projects in connection with the Mayor's citywide Neighborhood Needs Program; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by reducing "Central Outreach Resource and Referral Center" by \$11,000 and by allocating the same amount to District 6 Projects". Total cost of all projects is not to exceed \$1,000,000.00

SPONSOR(S): R. DANIEL LAVELLE

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.